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Sir:

Following is Applicants' response to the Office Action mailed 11 FEBRUARY 2003. A response is due Monday, 12 MAY 2003, making this a timely response. Please amend the application as indicated on the following pages, and consider the remarks herein. While Applicant believes that no further fees are due at this time, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due as a result of filing this amendment, including additional claims fees not already paid for, or other fees that have not been separately paid, to Deposit Account 08-2025 (Order No. [HP 10006278-1]).